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# TELEGRAPHIC

## Proceedings of the Democratic National Committee.

## The Convention to be Held at Cincinnati.

## Postoffice Crookedness at Cheyenne.

## More Concerning the Attempted Assassination.

## An Address to Southern Republicans.

## Interesting Budget of General and Foreign News.

### *GENERAL NEWS.*

#### Washington News.

FITZ JOHN PORTER'S CASE.

WASHINGTON, February 23. The Chicago Journal's Washington special says: "General Fitz John Porter has notified Senator Randolph that he is perfectly willing to allow the bill restoring him to the army to go over till the next session. He does this because of the opinion among the democrats that the discussion of this session will be turned against the democratic party by the republicans to its injury.

"THE WIDOW'S OPINIONS.

"General Butler is reported by the national democratic committee as being in full sympathy with the democratic party, and as intending to come out openly in a short time to declare himself a democrat, without other party affiliation. Your correspondent had a talk with General Butler, and in reply to the question whether he was misrepresented in the interview with a member of the democratic committee, Mayor Prince, of Boston, said: 'I do not care anything about the differences to myself. I have neither authorized them, nor I have I any right to repudiate them. I am much more busy with law suits than with politics, and have no right to intrude my views on future prospects on any party or anybody. But it seems to me that if I was to vote for any democrat, it would be for Judge Field, of the supreme court. He stands well before the country, and would carry the Pacific coast, and would be, I think, adapted by both the factions of the party in New York, as being an important man, whom both could trust to do right by them. I do not know anybody that would be better for the democratic party than Judge Field, for whom I have a very high respect in all things, except that I am not quite in accordance with his financial views.'"

NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE.

The national democratic committee assembled in Willard's hall at 12 o'clock to-day to select a place and appoint the time for holding the national democratic convention. Considerable discussion ensued as to the time to be allowed persons for presenting the claims of the respective cities for the place of holding the convention, and it was finally agreed to allow twenty minutes to be divided among three representatives of each delegate to present their claims. The roll was then called for the purpose of ascertaining the number of cities desirous of presenting a request for the holding of the convention. W. H. Goudy of Illinois named Chicago, Outerbridge Harsey of Maryland, Baltimore, John G. Priest of Missouri, St. Louis, John G. Thompson of Ohio, Cincinnati, W. T. Scott of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Austin H. Brown of Indiana, Washington, D. C., and the representatives of Oregon, Eugene City, Oregon. At 1.45 p. m. a recess was taken until palf-past two.

In submitting resolutions for the date of holding the convention, McHenry of Kentucky moved to fix the date Tuesday, June 2. Priest of Maryland moved to amend by inserting Wednesday, June 16 as the last. Eaton of Kansas moved to amend by inserting the third Tuesday in May. The amendments being both rejected, the original resolution of McHenry was agreed upon. The following proxies were present, viz: Mississippi, A. B. Hart, California, Senator Farley, Nevada, J. M. McCorkle, Colorado, Hugh Butler, Virginia, John T. Lovell, Wisconsin, Representative Bragg, and Texas, Representative Columbus Upson.

M. W. Fuller presented Chicago's claim. She had a hall of fine quality capable of seating 10 000 and standing room for 10,000 more. The citizens would defray transportation and board expenses of each member, the committee and his family. Twenty-three leading hotels would not increase the rates. The air was pure and temperate, equable.

Colonel Dorsey presented the claims of Baltimore, ex-Mayor Brown, St. Louis. He thought Missouri a very doubtful state. St. Louis should have the convention. St. Louis was centrally located with abundant facilities of all kinds. There would be no advance in in hotel rates and a committee would defray all expenses deemed proper.

Sayler noted the committee to Cincinnati, which had the advantages of other cities and some which they had not. Music hall had a capacity of 4,500 seats and an entire capacity of 7000. Cincinnati would bear all the expenses of the convention. As Cincinnati named the man in 1856 it would name him in 1880.

Eugene City, Oregon, was advocated by Whitaker in a very humorous speech. He said there were no artificial facilities to be had in Eugene City, but the people could find excellent camping grounds and advises them to bring a supply of blankets.

Wm. L. Scott invited the committee to Philadelphia. The Centennial Hall was the proper building. It would hold 30,000 people. Other attractions were great and there was no city on God's footstool which so much needed the convention to enlighten and civilize.

Stilson Hutchison advocated Washington. A formal ballot resulted: Cincinnati, 14; Chicago, 10; St. Louis 4; Washington, 4; Baltimore, 2; Philadelphia, Jackson, Eugene City and blank, one each. The formal ballot resulted: Cincinnati, 29; Chicago, 7; St. Louis, 4; Washington and blank, one each. The selection of Cincinnati was made unanimous. A committee was appointed to confer with Cincinnati the committee on arrangements. There was some discussion about harmony in the New York factions but no result. The committe will prepare a call to-morrow.

The selection of Cincinnati by the national committee to day as a place for holding the democratic convetion is generally considered an anti-Tilden victory. No such issue was openly made, but it is known that Tilden's friends would have greatly preferred St. Louis or Chicago, and the selection of either of those cities would have been claimed as a Tilden success. It is also learned to night that the Jewett influence have been quite a point in the decision of the contest in favor of Cincinnati. Isaac Eaton, the committee member from Kansas, who was at first for St. Louis, finally voted for Cincinnati, upon the receipt of a telegram from his brother in law (Jewett) requesting the change in the interest of his (Jewett's) presidential aspiratiations. The Ohio delegation return home to night in a special car which bears upon its side the following inscription: "Cincinnati. Her convention gave you the last democratic president and will give you the next."

CONGRESSIONAL RELIEF FOR THE IRISH.

The house committee of foreign affairs instructed its chairman to-day to report favorably to the house a resolution making an appropriation for the relief of the suffering people of Ireland. The resolution was amended by the committee, increasing the appropriation from one hundred thousand dollars, the amount originally proposed, to three hundred thousand dollars. The house committee on public lands agreed to report favorably to the house of representatives.

IN THE INTEREST OF MOONSHINERS.

The bill introduced in the house by Representative Vance of North Carolina to amend the internal revenue laws to prevent abuses in the administration of justice in the courts of the United States, provides that on the conviction of any person for the illicit sales of spirits, liquors or unlawful manufacture of the same, the district judge shall have the power to punish at his discretion by fine or imprisonment or both; that no single violation of the law shall be an indictable offense, but only where the accused is guilty of repeated acts of sale for money or profit. It also provides that no marshal or deputy shall have the power to bring the defendants before any other U. S. commissioner than in the country where the offense is committed; that no marshal or deputy shall have power to arrest any party accused of illicit distillation or unlawful retailing of spirituous liquors without a warrant endorsed by a creditable witness, stating that he knows or has good reason to believe that the law has been violated, and further, that no attorney prosecuting for the United States in the federal court, can enter an indictment and prosecute the same against any person for the violation of internal revenue laws, upon mere information, but information must first be submitted to the grand jury who shall pass upon it.

DAMAGING TESTIMONY.

Before the senate exodus committee, P. R McCoskey, a life long resident of Terre Haute, and a republican, testified to the surplus of laborers and mechanics in his section of the state. He swore the colored mail agent, Walker, in conversation with him, at Terre Haue, said that at the colored convention held at Nashville last autumn, he (Walker) had made arrangements to run ten thousand colored voters into Indiana to carry the state for the republicans.

ANTI CHINESE MEASURE.

Representative Horace Davis to-day introduced a bill providing that from and after it is enacted, a custom duty of six cents per pound shall be imposed and collected upon sago and sago flour, tapioca and tapioca flour, arrow root and arrow root flour, and all starch made of any material whatever or however used. The existing tariff imposes a duty of one cent a pound and twenty per cent. advalorum on the starch made from raw potatoes or corn and of three cents a pound and twenty per cent. advalorum on starch made from rice, or any other material. Sago and sago flour, root flour, farina and tapioca are on the free list. The Chinese now import to California for use in their laundries, a large quantitity of low grade starches under the name of root flour, sago flour, manioc flour, etc., which, although really starches, have until recently been admitted free of duty. Fifteen hundred thousand pounds of these substances were imported at San Francisco last year for use in Chinese laundries and the government having assessed duties on these importations, which have been protested, about 160 suits concerning them are now pending. It is well known that one reason why the Chinese compete so successfully with white laundries, is that the Mongolians use poorer and cheaper starch. It will be observed therefore, that Davis' bill is calculated to subserve the several desirable objects of protecting white labor, and our own products, increasing the government revenue, preventing litigation and helping to make our country a less desirable place of residence for the Chinese represetation.

STAR SERVICE.

The house committee bill on appropriation held a meeting for the purpose of considering the star route service and decided that some action must be taken immediately. The sub committee which has been enjoyed for several weeks investigating the star route service was instucted to report at once to the full committee with a recommendation as to whether the deficiency appropriation should be made and for what amount. The sub committee will prepare a report which will be submitted to-morrow morning. The general impression is that the committee will at once perfect the deficiency appropriation bill, making provisions to continue the star service.

PROSPECTS OF AN ADJOURNMENT.

Speaker Randall still adheres to the opinion that it will be entirely practicable for congress to adjourn between the 1st and 15th of May, although other prominent democrats of long service in both houses say that they will be quite satisfied if an adjournment can be secured thirty days later. In the last twelve years, no long session of congress has terminated before the middle of June, and the rule has been to have an extension of the session for some time after that period. A leading member of the house committee on appropriations informed your correspondent to-day that he thought that the question of the adoption of new rules would be disposed of by the house in two or three days, and that his committee would then bring in the appropriation bills at once, and proceed with them until they were all disposed of.

BRIEF MENTION.

The supreme court refused to restrain the postmaster general from withholding letters.

Senator Bayard moved the senate adjourn earlier to-day out of respect to Washington's birthday.

#### Mining Excitement in New York.

NEW YORK, February 23.—An article in the Tribune to-day says that twenty million dollars would be a very low estimate of the amount of eastern capital that is invested in western mining interests. The Fifth Avenue Hotel is the rendezvous of the mining men of this city, and it is safe to say that one third of the men who throng the main corridor from 7.30 a. m. to 10 p. m. have mines to sell. Saunter through this crowd, and the words "mine," "ore," "shaft," and "dividend" are heard on all sides. Some of the the best properties shun publicity. "No stock for sale" is a conspicuous feature of the advisements of some companies. This announcement is supposed by many to be a ruse, but it is simply the truth.

The stock of four of the largest mining companies in Leadville has been taken in large blocks for advertisement only. A dividend of $100,000 declared a few days ago will be paid. Large properties placed on the market recently have been sold in lots of not less that one thousand shares each.

#### General Adams' Exposes a Rogue.

CHEYENNE, February 21. General Adams, special agent of the post office department, arrived here to day, in accordance with orders from Washington to investigate the affairs of the Cheyenne postoffice, resulting in the discovery of a deficit in the accounts of Postmaster Glafckes of about $2,400. His sureties were placed in charge of the office and will make the deficiency good. General Adams further investigated the charges of Major Glafckes connection with the great western distribution company. He finds them sustained by proofs satisfactory to him. Major Glafcke is publisher of the Cheyenne Leader, in whose columns the recent assault on the characters of Governor Hoyt and other citizens appeared. General Adams returned to Denver to day, from whence he will proceed to Washington with his Ute prisoners.

#### Address to Southern Republicans.

CHICAGO, February 23.—The Inter-Ocean's Washington's special says the executive committee of the southern republican association of this city have issued an order to be circulated in the south in which they appeal for the hearty co-operation, and says it hopes to be able to render substantial and efficient aid in the republican government and constitutional liberty in the southern states. Admonished by the sad experience of the past, we conjure you to inculcate peace, harmony and unity among the southern republicans. Let there be no dissension in your ranks, no division in your councils. The national convention of our party will assemble on the second day of June at Chicago. The southern states are entitled to 276 delegates, which is more than one third of the entire convention. While we disclaim all purpose of naming the candidate or of dictating the policy, we counsel united, and harmonious action, coupled with a respectful demand for a recognition of our rights. Reconstruction was an invention of northern statesmen. In the blood of heroes and martyrs it was executed. The verdict of impartial history will pronounce upon its wisdom or unwisdom. The past with its errors and sorrows is gone, Let its experience guide our present and future acts.

#### Parnell's Reception in Chicago.

CHICAGO, February 23.—The reception of Parnell and Dillon to-night was a spontaneous ovation. They arrived at the Central Depot at about 8 o'clock, but it was 9 o'clock before the long procession, which contained several thousand people in regular ranks, and was liberally supplied with banners and transparencies, had escorted them to the Exposition Building. The admission fee was fifty cents; and reserved seats were one dollar, and the capacity of the building was tested to its utmost. It is estimated that from twenty thousand to thirty thousand people were inside the space allotted to the speaker. The crowd was so dense and the confusion so great that it was with difficulty that those in proximity to the speaker could hear him. It was impossible for the late comers to get near enough to the stand to catch the words of the speakers and equally impossible to get through, into or out of the crowd which surged and cheered around the stand. The enthusiasm was unbounded and was confined entirely to the Irish citizens. Governor Cullom introduced the speakers with expressions of sympathy for the suffering country. Other speakers followed. Parnell, Dillon and John Murdock, a Scotchman, responded. Letters of regret from Senators Blaine and Windom, governors of several states adjoining and about thirty congressmen were read. Resolutions were very strong in tone, and denounced in unstinted terms the British government for its oppression, injustice and cruelty. The receipts were about ten thousand dollars.

#### Probable Murder

BOSTON, February 23.—The police are strongly of the opinion that E. Lavaire, the thief found dead in his room at the south end, was kill by his companion named Hill, for whom active searce is being made. It has been ascertained he and Marshall, the latter being the name by which Lavaire was known, had for several weeke been paying attentions to a table girl at a saloon on Harrison avenue, and that a jealous quarrel took place between the two men. Marshall's companion (Hill) wrote letters to this girl, and on its being compared with the note found near the dead man, a strong resemblance is found. Hill, the probable murderer of Marshall, is well known to all the detectives of all large cities.

#### For Sherman.

CHICAGO, February 23. The Journal publishes an interview with Colonel Thomas M. Nichol, secretary of the Honest Money League, who is interesting himself in behalf of the nomination of Secretary Sherman for president. Colonel Nichols says that he has seen Secretary Sherman lately, and that he is working openly in his interest, with the cognizance of the secretary, who will certainly be a candidate in the Chicago convention, and with a larger support than is generally supposed.

#### New York's Preference.

NEW YORK, February 23. The Times this morning publishes returns from every county in the state and gives the strength of the candidates to the republican state convention as follows: Grant 254, Blaine 124, scattering 12, unknown 20.

#### Storm.

MEMPHIS, February 23. On Wednesday a tornado visited Cedar Chapel, a small town in Hardin county sixty miles northeast of Memphis, which did serious damage, blowing away several houses and seriously injuring seven persons. Three dwellings took fire during the storm and burned down. The loss is about $10,000

### *FOREIGN.*

#### Nihilist's Work.

LONDON, February 23.—Alexander, of Hesse, in a letter to his wite, from St. Petersburg, says: "We were proceeding through the large corridor to his majesty's apartments, when, suddenly a fearful detonation was heard. The floor was raised as if by an earthquake, the gas was extinguished, and we were left in total darkness. At the same time, a horrible dust and smell of gunpowder filled the corridor. Some one shouted that the chandelier had fallen in the saloon where the table was laid for dinner. I hastened thither with the czarowith and Grand Duke Valdemir, while Count Aeilleberg, in doubt as to what might happen, held back the emperor. We found all the windows broken, and the walls in ruins. The dinner had been delayed half an hour for my arrival, and it was owing to this circumstance that the imperial family had not yet gone to the dining room.

"General Gourkee, governor general, General Dreuthine, chief of the imperial police, and General Zomeoff, prefect of the police, received notices from the nihilist committee, informing them that they need not trouble themselves to make arrangements for the illumination on the occasion of the czar's anniversary, as revolutions are preparing for such an illumination as has not been seen since Nero burned Rome."

The government has decided to increase the number of house porters, who will be instructed to be ready to guard against emergencies, especially on the anniversary of the czar's accession to the throne.

The statement that the officer in charge of the palace guard has disappeared is contradicted. The czar to-day visited Paulowski military school in an open sleigh. He was enthusiastically cheered by the students and people.

Baron Von Schell, privy counsellor, has committed suicide, his mind being affected by the explosion in the palace. Gen. Trepaff has been appointed military governor of winter palace, vice Gen. Del Salle, who has become paralyzed.

### *Business Locals.*

Ten cents per line for first insertion; five cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Advertisements to go in every other day, or on certain days of the week only, ten cents per line for each insertion.


WALL PAPERS
New Styles at A. BROWN'S.

DRESS MAKING.
Miss S. S. Freeman desires to announce to her patrons that she has removed her dress making rooms to the front room over O. T. Barker's store. b 18 7

Twenty-five cents per keg will be paid to any one having empty kegs belonging to the El Paso County Brewing Co. in their possession, sent out before the 1st of January, 1880, by notifying the company and delivering same to the delivery wagon.
b 21 7 STOCKBRIDGE & ELWELL.

Ladies' and Childrens' Furs cheap at Monk & Ingalsbe's. Mink setts $7.50 to $24.00. Call and see them. 12 9tf

Large and fine assortment of pocket and table cutlery at G. S. Barnes'. 12 18 tf

Patronize Bacon & Brown for funeral obsequies. They have been the first to reduce prices on their hearse and carriages. b-15-12.

Call and examine the fine stock of Perfection granite iron ware at G. S. Barnes'. 12 18 tf

HOOKER'S HOUSEHOLD SPECIALTIES.
Beardsley's shredded codfish excellent,
Hecker's griddle cake flour,
Family mackerel in five pound tins,
Fine table syrups and sauces,
New England mince meat.
Cox's gelatine arrow root,
Barataria shrimps—for salad,
Jacques' flavoring extracts,
Whitman's instantaneous chocolate;
Crosse & Blackwell's jellies and jams,
Horsford's bread preparation,
Savory, marjoram, thyme and sage.
First-class goods at Hookers. b 24 2

MINTONS TILES
Fine Assortment at A. BROWN'S.

A competent watchmaker at Allen's. b 15 tf

Go to Monk & Ingalsbe's for best goods at lowest prices. 12 9tf.

S. B. Westerfield, undertaker, will give prompt attention to night or day orders. Rooms in Hodgman Block, Huerfano street, Colorado Springs. 7-8-tf

FURNITURE.
The largest stock in the city at
9-21-tf S. B. WESTERFIELD'S.

M. C. Wilbur has returned with two car-loads of horses and mules. Some fine drivers, good saddlers and good workers. They will be found at the Avenue stables. 12 20tf.

$1.00 saved is as good as $2.00 earned, so buy your goods of D. W. Robbins. b 10 tf.

Very fine Japan Tea for fifty cents a pound at Sherman's. a 30 tf

Converse, licensed pawn broker.

At Peck & Farrar's, Solid Meat Oysters. b 18 tf

A fine lot of lake trout, white fish, oysters, turkeys, chickens and Kansas pork at Peck & Farrar's market to-day. b 21 tf

Export Bottled Beer, $11.00 per barrel, $1.25 per dozen; to d. pints or 6 d. quarts. F. Hermann, Manitou, Col. 8 29 tf

Bacon & Brown have got fine Masonic, Catholic and Odd Fellow's emblems to go with their hearse. b-15-12

PAINTS, OILS, GLASS &C.,
At A. BROWN'S.

Bacon & Brown will not be underbid on funeral turnouts, and besides they have the finest hearse ever brought to Colorado. b-15-12.

SPECIMEN COPIES of the GAZETTE sent free on application.

Don't pay the same price for an old hearse when you can get the finest one in Colorado from Bacon & Brown at the same price. b-15-12

WINDOW SHADES AND FIXTURES
Complete Stock at A. BROWN'S.

Watches, clocks and jewelry thoroughly and economically repaired at Allen's. b 15 tf

Skates in variety, both plain and nickel plated at G. S. Barnes'. 12 18 tf

GAS! GAS!
Notice is hereby given to the public that arrangements have been made by the gas company with Mr. Drinkwater, gas fitter, to put in connections from the main to the meter for all who desire it, at cost price of material and labor, which has been fixed at twenty-six (26) cents per foot.
D. RUSS WOOD, President.
b 22 6

Just received at Peter Mariani's, two cases of ceramel candies.

WANTED.

WANTED.—To buy a dwelling with from three to five rooms, cheap for cash. Address "P," this office. b 18 tf

WANTED.—Large clean rags at this office.

WANTED.—A girl to do general housework in a small family. Apply at this office. b 10 tf

WANTED. A woman to cook. Inquire at Dr. Solly's, Pike's Peak avenue. b 20 tf

WANTED.—To trade a new buggy and harness for a good work team of horses or mules. Must be large animals. Apply to Courter & Woodring. b 17 tf

WANTED: A good, white, protestant girl for general housework in a small family; an excellent home, and highest wages. Inquire at this office, or of T. A. Hay, Huerfano street, next door to Engine House.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE.—Cheap lots on East Pike's Peak avenue.
Cheap lots on East Huerfano street.
Cheap lots in south part of town.
Cheap lots in Young's Addition.
Cheap lots in Parrish's Addition.
Cheap lots in Bristol's Addition, near the College.
Two fine lots on Tejon street, in block 61.
Two fine lots on Tejon street, in block 51.
Large corner lots in north end of town.
One acre, five acre, six acre, and ten acre lots.
Desirable garden tracts.
Desirable ranches close to town.
A beautiful residence at Manitou.
The best business lots on Pike's Peak avenue and Huerfano street.
One frame house for $500.
One frame house for $825.
One frame house for $1,100.
One frame house for $1,250.
One frame house for $1,500.
One brick house for $1,000.
One brick house for $1,500.
Desirable residences all over town.
Lot 21, in block 82, on Pike's Peak avenue, next to Drinkwater's. An excellent business site.
A four acre lot north of the College, adjoining the lots of the North End Improvement Company. A bargain, if sold soon.
I have a few lots on East Pike's Peak avenue, four blocks from post office, facing south, 50 feet front by 200 feet deep, which I will sell cheap to parties who will build.
A splendid business property on Tejon street, between Huerfano and Pike's Peak avenue—store room 25 x 80, with eleven rooms in second story. Lot 25 x 190. Cheap, if sold soon.
Garden tract of five acres; close to town; under main ditch; fenced; one hundred and fifty fruit trees; with three room house and barn on premises; cheap; easy terms.
New house on Weber street, below Cucharas. Two stories; seven rooms, all large, and with high ceilings; six large closets; pantry; low down grates; iron mantels; good barn; six hundred strawberry plants in garden. This property is in perfect condition, and I will sell it *at a great bargain.*
House and lot in the town of Fountain (house cost $650) together with 740 acres of land close to Fountain—all under fence 110 acres under ditch. Also, several shares of ditch stock. The entire outfit for $2,000 *if sold soon.* This is the cheapest thing in the county. *Such an opportunity may not again occur to those desiring a good ranch.*
Apply to M. L. DeCoursey, real estate agent. b 12 tf

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT. Furnished house of six rooms in an excellent location. Barn, trees, lawn fountain in front of house. M. L. De Coursey real estate agent. b22 tf

FOR RENT.—Or will sell, two story house and three acres of ground, near reservoir. One-half acre fenced. House has five rooms, pantry, cupboards, and good cellar. M. L. De Coursey, real estate agent. b 17 tf

FOR RENT *Furnished House.* Six rooms Nice location. Rent, $65 per month, or a lease of four months. Apply to Chas. Hallowell, real estate agent. b 23 tf

FOR RENT *Large Store.* On Pike's Peak avenue. Rent, $30 per month, or a year's lease. Apply to Chas. Hallowell, real estate agent. b 22 tf

FOR RENT. Several nicely furnished rooms with good board, on Cascade avenue, three doors north of school house. b 22 6

Stark AND Downing
DEALERS IN
Hardware,
STOVES & TINWARE.
Pike's Peak Avenue.
Opposite Roby's Feed Store.
A Tin Shop in Connection.
b-22-tf

CHATTEL MORTGAGE SALE.

WHEREAS, The Crystal Park and Pike's Peak Wagon and Trail Company did, on the 21st day of August, 1879, make and execute its chattle mortgage to J. F. Humphrey, upon The Crystal City and Pike's Peak Wagon and Trail Road, with all its rights, privileges, and franchises, to secure the payment of its note of that date, made to said Humphrey, for the sum of $250, payable six months after date, with interest at 1½ per cent. per month. And, whereas, said company subsequently, on the 6th day of October, 1879, made and executed to the said Humphrey another chattle mortgage upon the same property, to secure its note of the latter date, to the said Humphrey, for the sum of $457.87, payable two and a half months after date, with interest at the same rate as above. And, whereas, the said Humphrey duly assigned said notes to the undersigned. And, whereas, default has been made in the payment of said notes and the interest thereon, I have taken possession of all of the said property mentioned in said mortgages. Notice is hereby given that I shall, at the hour of
*11 o'clock, a. m., of Saturday, the 6th day of March,* 1880,
sell at public auction, at the north end of said road, the property mentioned in said mortgages, to wit: The Crystal City and Pike's Peak Wagon and Trail Road, with all its rights, privileges, and franchises, to the highest and best bidder for cash, and shall apply the proceeds hereof to the payment or part payment of said notes.
Dated this 23rd day of February, 1880.
b-24-td MARY S. WANLESS

LOST.

LOST. A bunch of small keys, three Yale Lock, and others. Leave at this office or First National Bank. A liberal reward will be paid. b 22 4

LOST. A two year old pony (mare), with English saddle and halter. Five dollars reward for their return to Pullen's ranch. b 24 3


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All persons having advertisements in this paper and desiring them discontinued will please make it known at the business office where they will be properly attended to; we cannot hold ourselves responsible for advertisements continuing in the paper unless notice is thus given.
All subscriptions to the Weekly or Daily are struck off the list at expiration.
Mr. Harry Iles is the authorized collector and solicitor for the Gazette Publishing Company
No claims are allowed against any employe of the Gazette to offset any of our accounts.
All advertisements for the WEEKLY GAZETTE must be handed in not later than Thursday noon.
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E. P. STEPHENSON,
Manager.

The *Tribune* denies that any part of that paper is owned by Senator Hill. This should set the matter finally at rest.

The *Register-Call* wants it understood that Gilpin county has a republican majority of 600 and has a vicious kick.

The Leadville *Herald's* independence in advising the appointment of Nelson Hallock, a democrat, as county commissioner is commendable.

One paper says that Douglass was only a minor offender after all. The regret in the state papers that Douglass is in the hands of justice seems to be general.

According to the *Tribune* of Sunday the labors of the Leadville *Democrat* in behalf of the appointment of a citizen of Colorado to the Indian commissionership were not in vain. It was offered to General Adams and declined.

Judge Tourgee, author of a "Fool's Errand," is the new editor of the Denver *Times*. He has the reputation of being a brilliant writer, a reputation he is sustaining in his new work. Favorable notices from the press all over the state have greeted his advent into Colorado journalism

They keep "the Utes must go" standing in the San Juan offices, and chuck it in to fill out a column when necessary. *Leadville Democrat.*

It is the style of a *Chieftain* correspondent to close all letters with "the Utes must go." It is also rumored that an act is being drawn up to be presented in the next legislature to change the motto of the state from *nil sine numine* to "The Utes must go."

The *Herald* is a hard money paper and opposed the Bayard resolution for the sole reason that the legal tenders could not be withdrawn from circulation without great detriment to the business interests of the country, inasmuch as the coin necessary to replace them in the circulation is not held in the treasury, and under existing law cannot be coined in sufficient quantity to answer the demands for redemption. *Leadville Herald.*

We desire to call the attention of the *Herald* that our national banking law is a free banking law. The only condition necessary to issuing national bank notes is that a party shall have money, and he can issue 90 per cent. of the face value of U. S. bonds deposited with the government. The greenbacks could be withdrawn gradually and the circulation of the national banks would increase in proportion to the actual demands of trade. We would also further advise the *Herald* that the Bayard resolution does not propose the retirement of the greenbacks, but simply a repeal of their legal tender quality. This, said Chief Justice Chase and other good authorities, will not affect them as a circulating medium. Hence we can see but little ground for the opposition of the *Herald* to the Bayard resolution.

### GOVERNOR PITKIN.

The Leadville *Herald* and *Chronicle*, and some other papers are somewhat severe on the GAZETTE for its criticism on Governor Pitkin's testimony before the house committee and also his representations to the secretary of war and general of the army. The *Herald* said:

"The position taken by the GAZETTE is certain to react on that paper, and cannot have the least effect upon Governor Pitkin. It was simply a useless indulgence of spite, and a reckless effort to bolster up its position, which has been demonstrated to be untenable."

The *Herald* must have written the above after reading the criticism in the *Register-Call* and not after reading what we said on this subject.

A telegraphic summary of the Ouray petition which was submitted by Governor Pitkin to the president, secretary of war, and general of the army with his endorsement in order to get troops into San Juan was as follows:

1. That the hostile Indians are between Ouray and civilization whereas they are on Grand River 150 miles west of Ouray:

2. That the people of Ouray are in danger of starvation.

3. That no food can be taken to Ouray, because it will be stolen by the hostile Indians.

4. That the starving people of Ouray cannot come out of Ouray, because they will be massacred by the Indians.

We did not criticise this dispatch when it first came because we could not conceive of such misrepresentation being possible. But after seeing in various eastern papers comments on Ouray's danger, and also interviews with Governor Pitkin of a tenor similar to the dispatch, we concluded that such false representations had really been made for the purpose of getting troops in San Juan with a fair prospect of bringing on a conflict similar to the Thornburg fight. Hence we wrote the following criticism:

Now, if there was any truth whatever in the letters, dispatches, &c., which Governor Pitkin is showing to the president and war department, the papers of Ouray would give some indication of it. They do not. His dispatches are either bogus or the product of professional liars, like the one who wrote the letter on which the governor based his opinion that the Uncompahgre Utes were in the White River fight. There has not been an item except in the Washington dispatches published in a state paper that shows that the town of Ouray is in any danger from starvation or hostile Indians. We are therefore forced to the conclusion that our noble governor is deliberately misrepresenting the facts in order to get the troops into the San Juan and bring on a conflict with the Indians. No other explanation seems reasonable. This reduces Governor Pitkin to the grade of Judge Belford among politicians. His reason for doing this is to win popularity so as to be renominated for governor.

Since writing this our suspicions have been confirmed by the refusal of the war department to furnish the troops, though at first inclined to do so. The explanation of this action is that Secretary Ramsey does not consider the town of Ouray in as much danger as at first represented.

Now we beg to remind our contemporaries that the charge of the GAZETTE that Governor Pitkin had misrepresented the facts is not a question of sentiment as they apparently regard it, but a question of facts. Are the hostile Utes (if any) between Ouray and civilization? Is Ouray in danger of starvation? Are the Indians intercepting all provisions sent to Ouray? Is it impossible for any citizen to leave Ouray for fear of being murdered? The answers of these questions are pertinent to the discussion, mere bluster is not. We have been discussing purely a matter of fact. In no case have our critics attempted to confute the facts which are against Governor Pitkin. The latter would be in much better taste in our opinion than windy denunciations and unsupported assertions.

As for our motives in these criticisms on Governor Pitkin, we prefer to let what we have written speak. The meanest of motives have been attributed to us. But it is easy for a paper which never condescends to consider a fact to do this. We may say that we are utterly indifferent to any motives such papers may attribute to us.

### Great Expectations.

General Campbell had "great expectations" of that Indian commissionership but "how vain are all things here below; how false, and yet how fair." *Leadville Democrat.*

### Sectional Issue.

The advocacy of a southern man for lieutenant governor is hostile to the renomination of Governor Pitkin. This is the way the average voter in the north looks upon it. *Register-Call.*

### Disastrous Move.

Opposition to Governor Pitkin's nomination is a disastrous move to those who are furthering it. He is a very competent and popular executive, and is sure of re-election. *Golden Globe.*

### Should Be Reduced.

The tariff on paper should be reduced. If there was not something arbitrary in the sudden advance of printing paper, the manufacturers of this country would not be so eager to fight the measure inviting foreign competition. *Leadville Democrat.*

### Attacks for Praise.

The attacks on General Adams still continue in some of the state papers. We regret exceeding to see them. Any comment on General Adams' conduct from the beginning of the troubles which is not in the nature of praise is unjust. *Denver Tribune.*

### Rebellion Imminent.

The northern republican papers are showing signs of rebellion. They construe the presentation of Matt France for the nomination of lieutenant governor into a disposition of the southern fellows to scoop the whole ticket. *Leadville Democrat.*

### Offered to a Coloradoan.

Would a thrill of horror run through the state at the news that General Adams was offered Hayt's place and that he refused it? An item in one of the state papers, which accused him of having an ambitious eye on the commissionership, suggests to us that he declined the office two or three weeks ago. *Denver Tribune.*

### Place of Next Convention.

The suggestion advanced by the *Times* that Leadville should be selected for the next republican convention, meets with the hearty endorsement of every prominent republican, we have met. By all means, let us have the convention in this city. *Leadville Times.*

### Very Neat.

The Colorado Springs GAZETTE is greatly afraid some one may attribute a paragraph of the *Register-Call* to that sheet. Vain fears! This is an intellectual community, although a western one, a fact the GAZETTE has failed so far to realize. The people of Colorado know how to separate the dross from the gold, so to speak, even in journalistic work. *Register-Call*

### A New Candidate.

Hon. W. D. Todd is spoken of as a possible candidate for lieutenant governor. Though a young man, Mr. Todd is one of the best parliamentarians in the state, having learned parliamentary law at the feet of that republican, Gamaliel, Schuyler Colfax. *Leadville Herald.*

### Business, not Politics.

The proposed appointment of Nelson Hallock as county commissioner is stirring up a good deal of political hubbub. If an equally good republican receives that appointment, there will be no opposition, but the main consideration just now is business qualifications rather than political predilections. *Leadville Herald.*

### True Inwardness of the Petitions.

A number of railroads have sent a petition to congress protesting against a reduction of duty on steel rails. There are some noticeable points about the signatures which may explain this apparent contradiction. First The roads are nearly all eastern roads which have no extensions to make. Second Those that are not eastern roads are completed western roads. Third A completed road is interested in having the cost of building material put to a figure which will deter others from constructing lines, and thus avoid any new competition. The duty on rails should be removed. *Denver Tribune.*

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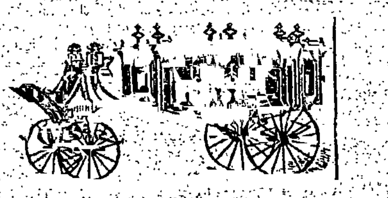
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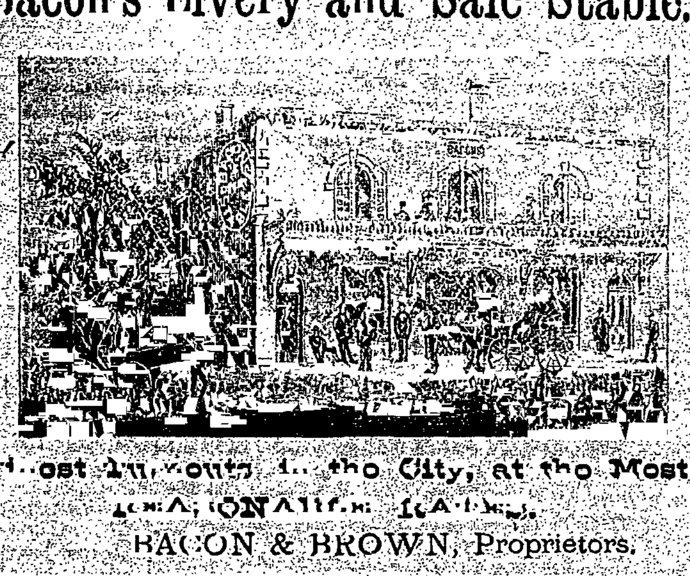
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TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1880.

### Modern Whist.

If you the modern game of whist would know,
From this great principle the precepts flow:
Treat your own hand as to your partner's joined,
And play, not one alone, but both combined.
Your first lead makes your partner understand
What is the chief component of your hand;
And hence there is necessity the strongest
That your first lead be from your suit that's longest.

In this with ace and king, lead ace, then king;
With king and queen, king also is the thing;
With ace, queen, knave, lead ace, and then the queen;
With ace, four small ones, ace should first be seen;
With queen, knave, ten, you let the queen precede;
In other cases you the lowest lead.
Ere you return your friend's, your own suit play;
But trump you must return without delay.

When you return your partner's lead, take pains
To lead him back the best your hand contains,
If you receive not more than three at first;
If you had more you may return the worst,
But if you hold the master card, you're bound
Most generally to play it second round.

Whene'er you want a lead, 'tis seldom wrong
To lead up to the weak, or through the strong.
If second hand your lowest should be played,
Unless you mean "trump signal" to be made;
Or if you've king and queen, or ace and king,
Then one of these will be the proper thing.
Mind well the rules for trumps—you'll often need them
When you hold five 'tis always right to lead them;
Or if the lead won't come in time to you,
Then signal to your partner so to do.

Watch also for your partner's trump request,
To which, with less than four, play out your best.

To lead through honors turned up is bad play,
Unless you want the trump suit cleared away.

When, second hand, a double risk you see,
Don't trump it, if you hold more trumps than three;
But having three or less, trump fearlessly.
When weak in trumps yourself, don't force your friend,
But always force the strong adverse hand.

For sequences stern custom has decreed
The lowest you must play, if you don't lead.

When you discard, weak suit you ought to choose;
For strong ones are too valuable to lose.

*—Exchange.*

### THE UNHAPPY CZAR.

**A Pen-and-Ink Sketch of Alexander of Russia.**

The feeling which comes uppermost in the mind of any one who sees the Czar for the first time is one of sincere pity. He is a large, ox eyed man, evidently of good intentions, but with a look of sadness and perplexity in him. His voice is harsh as the grinding of a coffee mill out of order, for an affection of the throat, under which he has long suffered, renders speech painful to him. He would have made a very amiable private gentleman, and could have got far more ease and amusement out of life if he had handed all the botheration of government over to his brother Constantine, who has a taste for that sort of nonsense. He himself could hardly have wanted to reign. It was the Schouvaloffs, the Lamberts, the Bariatinskys, the Adlerbergs, the Dolgourookys, and some others who desired he should be a first ruler of men. They were forever goading and coaking him by turns, as beef is driven to market for those who wish to roast it. They must often have had a difficult task, for his ponderous Majesty (good, easy man) is slothful and heavy witted by nature. He must have been frequently unable to understand even what was wanted of him. He is subject to melancholy periods of hypochondriasis during which existence but a dreary blank to him. He is haunted by fears of sudden death and by the dread of assassination. At these times he moons about on apparently solitary walks with a large dog, but there is always a policeman handy to keep the sacrilegious from approaching him. When well he devotes much of his time to tailoring, changing his costume with much stolid perseverance, and he likes to be attended by a hump-backed privy councillor, who acts as foil to his fine figure and sets it off, for he is a well built man, tall and straight, though rather too German in the rotundity of certain of his curves.

His father Nicholas, who was in many respects a notable sovereign, had him very carefully brought up, and forseeing that he would want support, perhaps devotion, in after life, to counteract his apathy, surrounded him with some select young men who could be relied upon. This little band of cronies have hung together ever since. They have lived with and on the Emperor without interruption from the time of his accession until now. He provides for their wants; they dip their fingers into his purse whenever they are so minded.

He is a loosely-hung Emperor, more like the good fellow of a free-and-easy than the despotic master of millions, when in the midst of these his familiars. He has been known to sit in his shirt sleeves, astraddle on a chair, hob-a-nobbing with them.

The late Count Strogonoff, who was a *preux chevalier* and a very high placing person generally, once broke in upon the party thus employed. The emperor looked at him with those unutterably mournful eyes of his and held out a champagne-glass to be refilled from a bottle which stood by. The old soldier drew himself up and answered sternly, "Let those who love you less than I do perform that service." The Czar showed no sign of displeasure, but within a few months Strogonoff was deprived of his offices, though he was nearly connected with the imperial family, his son having married the Grand Duchess Marie.

When His Majesty is in the humor he plays a good deal at cards with his own chums, and it is rather a good thing for these gentlemen, for whenever any one of them is in want the Czar will lose to him the sum of which he stands in need, as a delicate way of giving it, and this method of bestowing substantial favor is perfectly well understood among them.

The Czar is a good shot and has done some grand things on beats. He sometimes wears a pelisse which once covered a fine bear which he brought low with his own hands, and it has been so exquisitly dressed that it is valued at about £2,000, which is even more than is ever paid either for the sable or the black fox. He can ride, too, though not in the English fashion, and he would be puzzled by a sharp burst across country. Lately his physicians have recommended him to walk.

His personal deportment is excellent. He stands and marches well. He shows to advantage in uniform, though for several years he has willingly clothed himself in mufti. His manners are those of a gentleman, and there is something extremely sympathetic about him. He produces the impression that one would like to know him better, if only he were not an Emperor. It is this unfortunate circumstance which takes the amiability out of him, sets him upon his dignity, and gives a certain funniness to his aspect. His father really could be dignified, but he can't. There is a chubbiness and nervousness in his proceedings upon great occasians which reminds one more of a drum-major or fugleman of Landwehr than an autocrat.

Formerly the Emperor, as might have been expected from one of his lethargic temperament, was averse from moving about; latterly he has been troubled by a perpetual restlessness. He lives very plainly, and his table is sparsely served. A beefsteak for breakfast, a roast gelinotte and salad for his dinner, form the staple of his fare. His appetite is not robust, and he sleeps badly.

The first fault of his reign was the common blunder of heirs apparent when they come into power. He had been much coulted by the discontented, and he made far too much haste to undo the work of his father. He was emotional, pitiful, generous, all in a headlong, precipitous way. When he resolved suddenly to abolish serfdom several of his generals and nobles threw themselves bodily at his feet and besought him to manage so great a change very gingerly. It was of no use; he gave everything he had to give, knocked down the great farmers-general of taxes like so many nine-pins, upset monopolies for the discreet sale of vodki, closed the free port of the Black Sea according to the latest principles of political economy, dashed off the shackles from the press and laughed at comic newspapers. The was a caraicture published in St. Petersburg shortly after his accession which represented him a droschky driver in the state that droschky drivers usually are after dinner. His hat was pulled over his eyes and his horses were galloping wildly on the road to "Reform." Behind him was the Grand Duke Constantine, saying "Gently brother, I am the fare." Still the emperor laughed; he laughed too when a piece was played in the court theatre exposing the corruption of his officials, and a very fine piece it was. Then somebody shot at him and shattered his nerves forever. He fell into a sort of panic trying hastily to undo all he had done. He had new gyves put on writers; he ordered some awful cruelties in Poland. He tried to win back his sulky nobles. It was all in vain, and now he is thoroughly flustered and frightened out of his senses. His only chance of peace and happiness would be abdication and a year's yachting without newspapers. At present he is worried into a fever every morning by a summary of all the unpleasant things which had been printed about him for the last twenty-four hours throughout Europe. It is prepared by a special *precis* writer appointed for this purpose, and his majesty takes care that it shall spare him no pang of this self-inflicted torture, for he will not trust a professional diplomatist to do it lest he should gloss over the truth and endeavor to make things pleasant for promotion's sake. A Baron Herder, a connection of Stieglitz, the banker, not long ago performed this delicate service, and perhaps does still. The king of Yvetot was a happy monarch; the emperor of Russia is not. Surely, times must be strangely altered. *London Truth.*

### THE BONANZA KINGS.

**O'Brien Dead, Fair's Brain Softened, and Mackay Hard at Work.**

The report that the bonanza kings of California are going to remove their San Francisco headquarters to New York, has not been confirmed thus far and is not likely to be. Since the death of O'Brien the control of the immense interests of the concern has devolved upon the surviving partners, of whom one, Mr. Fair, is said to be suffering from an incipient softening of the brain, and another, Mr. Flood, seems to be inclined to attend chiefly to his personal comfort and to the approaching wedding of his daughter with the son of of ex-President Grant. The burden of work falls mainly upon the shoulders of J. W. Mackay, whose wife is said to have sat for the portrait of Mrs. John Bryan in Mrs. Lucy Hooper's new novel, "Under the Tricolor." The novel is likely to have a considerable succes de curiosite, owing to the fact that nearly all of the characters in it are sketches of members of the American colony in Paris. Mrs. John Bryan takes the lead among them and is made very attractive. But still more interesting would it have been to have the obverse of the medal—a novel portraying the type of the husband of Mrs. Bryan, the Irish-American who sends her and her three children to Paris to lead a princely life, and who himself works in the depths of the Nevada mines from six o'clock in the morning until six o'clock in the evening. That a man who has nothing or little to eat should be willing to work 2,800 feet below the surface is thought quite natural; but that a man who has fifty or sixty millions of dollars should do so is a pyschological phenomenon, the solution of which calls for something more than a flimsy novel written in a ladylike style. *New York Sun.*

### Honors to a Great Jewish Statesman.

The late M. Cremieux, for whose public funeral the senate voted 10,000 francs, was twice minister of justice in revolutionary governments, and was the first Jew that ever sat in the French chamber. He was likewise the founder of the international alliance of the Hebrew race. M. Gambetta, who was formerly senator Cremieux's secretary, was one of the pall bearers to-day at the obsequies. Louis Blanc, the last surviving member of the provisional government, of 1848, saw his old colleague to the grave. The hearse was of the plainest kind, according to the Hebrew ritual. Following it on a car was a gigantic floral trophy sent by Algerian Israelites whom in 1870 Cremieux emancipated. Judges in robes, lawyers of the Paris bar in caps and gowns and the most noted artistic celebrities of the capitel walked behind the family. The indigent Hebrews were numerous. M. Cremieux's income was $15,000, out of which $600 was regularly spent in charity. The funeral orators were the Grand Rabbi and delegates from the Israelite alliance and from the Algerian and Roumanian Hebrews. *N. Y. Tribune.*

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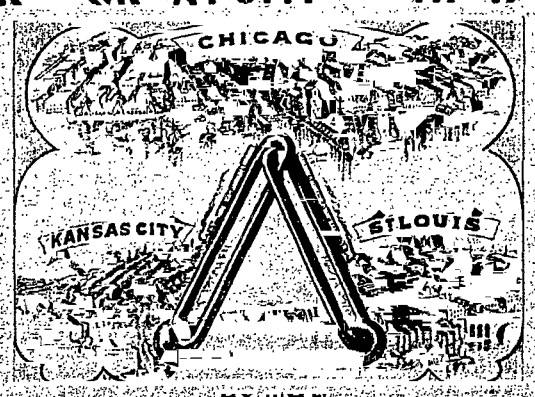


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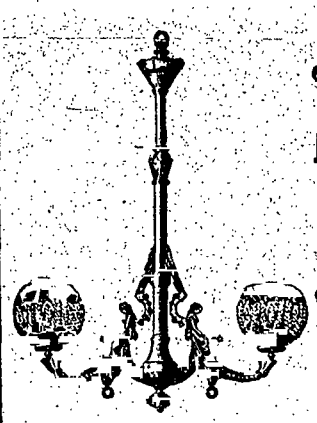

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Official Paper of the City and County.

TIME TABLE.

**Denver and Rio Grande Railway.**

| TRAINS GOING SOUTH. | | TRAINS GOING NORTH. | |
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| *Thro Freight.* | | *Way Freight.* | |
| Arrive | 2:19 P.M. | Arrive | 10:53 A.M. |
| Leave | 2:55 P.M. | Leave | 11:35 A.M. |
| *San Juan Express.* | | *San Juan Express.* | |
| Arrive | 11:35 A.M. | Arrive | 4:10 P.M. |
| Leave | 11:40 A.M. | Leave | 4:15 P.M. |

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The G. S. Barnes hose company paraded yesterday in honor of the father of his country.

There will be a union prayer meeting at 7:15 o'clock to-night, at the rooms of the Y. M. C. A., led by Linus E. Sherman.

The Rev. E. N. Bartlett will lead the noon prayer meeting to-day at the rooms of the Y. M. C. A. Topic: "He knew what was in man."

We have received a copy of the Kansas *Review* published by the students of the State University of Kansas. It is neatly printed and a good specimen of college journalism.

Leadville local item: "Colonel Bright says he has the 'boss' tomcat in town. Any one doubting the assertion may bring their cats and money to the city jail, where their doubts will be set at rest."

The banks were closed yesterday, owing to the fact that George Washington was born on the 22d of February, which falling this year on Sunday, was generally observed on Monday.

The Denver *News* comes to us with its pages cut and pasted. This is a great convenience to the reader and an advantage to the advertiser. The *News* is enterprising and keeps well to the front in its improvements.

David Fitzpatrick, an old soldier known to many of our citizens, was sent to Washington, D. C. yesterday by County Commissioner Matt. France. Fitzpatrick has back pay due him and deserves a pension. Commissioner France gave him letters and papers to aid him in securing his rights.

The *Deaf-Mute Index* is welcome to the local items which it so frequently reprints from the GAZETTE, but we would respectfully suggest to our esteemed contemporary the justice of giving some credit when a special article, such as the one headed, "Work and Wages in Colorado Springs" is appropriated.

The leap year ball which the colored ladies gave to the fashionable young colored gentlemen of this city last evening in Court House Hall, was a roaring success. Mr. John Jirney was observed to be very busily engaged in whispering gentle words into the shell like ears of his many lady friends.

### All Sorts of Clocks.

A hadsome clock has been placed in the postoffice where everybody can see it and not only learn the hour of the day, but also the day of the week and the month of the year. The clock was obtained of Turney Brothers, and thinking it a good "indication" we traced it to bed rock in Turney Brothers' store next door to the postoffice. The shelves of this elegant establishment were found to be loaded down with clocks of every design and finish, just received from the east and sold at remarkably low prices. It would be impossible for us to give a detailed account of the different kinds of clocks we saw. We can only advise our readers to go and examine for themselves.

### Death of the Rev. J. F. Walker.

News was received in this city yesterday of the death of the Rev. J. F. Walker, the former rector of Grace Church. The news of his death will be a shock to his large circle of friends here although it can hardly be a surprise. The Rev. Mr. Walker's health has been exceedingly poor for a long period, and the last year of his ministry in Colorado Springs was one in which he suffered greatly from ill health.

We learn that Mr. Walker's death, which took place last Friday in Topeka, Kansas, was not sudden but that it was preceded by an aggravation of his usual weakness and that he was seriously ill for a fortnight before his demise. Our information is somewhat meagre at present but as soon as fuller particulars are obtained they will be laid before our readers.

### Co. B's Ball To-Night.

The invitations of Co. B to their masquerade ball which takes place to-night in Court House Hall have attracted general favorable comment from the s[illegible] ess.

The ball itself will undoubtedly be a great success. A large number of invitations have been accepted and, in addition to the many privately prepared costumes, a great many have been secured of Mr. Leibold.

Gentlemen who desire to send a carriage for lady friends can secure one free of cost by leaving their orders in the counting-room of the GAZETTE to-day until the hour of seven o'clock this evening, after which time orders should be left at Court House Hall.

### Personal

Mr. C. T. Barton has returned from Leadville.

Collector J. S. Wolfe was in the city yesterday.

Judge McFerran returned yesterday from an eastern trip.

Mr. J. W. Fairfield is down from the Camp of the Carbonates.

Elder Merritt came in from the south yesterday.

Mr. E. L. Bidelman left yesterday for Chicago. He will be absent about a month.

John Bunn, esq., from Decatur, Ill., arrived here yesterday with his young wife, with the view of engaging in the law practice.

General Danford came down from Leadville yesterday. He was very reticent as usual, but was at last induced to make a remark or two.

Mr. Eubank, who is engaged in the grain business in Leadville, but whose family remain here, came home for a visit yesterday.

### Gunnison Grist.

The Gold Cup mine has been sold for $315,000.

The winter has been a severe one; the thermometer standing at 32° on Christmas night.

Mr. J. K. Jones, owner of the Roxie lode, at a depth of fifteen feet, has struck a large body of galena. This mine is situated at the base of Gold Hill, and on the Middle Willow. It has caused a great excitement.

Messrs. Neirland & Warner, owners of the Spotted Tail lode, adjoining the Gold Cup, have run a tunnel sixty feet and now have a vein three feet in the breast. The mineral is hard carbonates with strong copper stain, carrying free gold.

The present indications are that the main or central point for a town of any size will be in close proximity to where Ute City has been platted, an application of which for a town site has already been made. This is in the bottom lands of the Roaring Forks stream, near where the Maroon, Castle and Hunter's creeks empty into it. From this point travel will soon be easily made to Leadville, Gunnison City, Gothic, and the Gunnison slope.

Says a correspondent of the Leadville *Chronicle*: Our camp has had two sensations within the past ten days. One of them was the arrival here of McCandless, who has accomplished a feat not yet attempted by any of the rest of us, namely, the trip to Leadville and return on snowshoes. He brought in an abundance of mail, together with several copies of the Leadville *Chronicle*. 'Twas "a consummation devoutly to be wished," for our latest papers before that bore the date of December first.

### Mines Within Leadville's Limits.

The miners in the Carbonate Camp are bound to find out all they can about the precious deposit which they are all so eager to discover. The latest news we have is that prospecting is now going on within the city limits of Leadville. In speaking of this matter the *Herald* says: "When the carbonate belt, as it was called, was located around the brow of Carbonate hill, it was supposed that was the apex of the vein, and the ground below it would never prove of value for mining purposes. Thinking this, no effort was made to develop for mines, and the outskirts of the city gradually extended high up the side hill, until it has become almost a solid settlement. The discoveries in the Pendery and Glass, and more recently in the California tunnel, has made it evident that the mineral belt extends below the carbonate contact, and work has gradually extended down towards the city. In the Glass a drift extends on a large body of ore, directly toward the Harrison reduction works. Some two weeks ago a little excitement was created by parties taking possession of a lot over which a road had been run, and commencing to sink a shaft. Yesterday still more interest was evinced, from a report that mineral had been reached on said claim. This last report was found to be incorrect. This shaft covered by a neat little shaft house, is but thirty feet and nothing but loose boulders, such as are found in wash, have yet been unearthed. It is claimed however, that the matter is to be fixed up by the purchase of the lot and the shaft extended to greater depth. A week ago a keg of powder was exploded under one corner of the shaft house, thus giving warning that the occupants of the house in the neighborhood did not approve of the plan of having mining prosecuted among the dwellings.

A short distance to the south and also nestled among the houses, is the shaft on the Ohio claim. This has been sunk to the depth of 120 feet, and a new shaft house was built over it yesterday. The word of sinking will again be resumed to-day. The shaft has gone through the wash and is in porphyry.

The scheme of sinking a drill, similar to such as are used in boring artesian wells has not been abandoned. It is backed by some of the largest capitalists in the place and it is proposed to sink a thousand feet or more, if found necessary, right here in the city, and fully detertime whether the carbonate ore body extends this far or not.

### Proper Methods of Irrigation.

Mr. L. C. Mead read a paper on irrigation, at a recent meeting of the farmer's institute, from which we make the following selection: "In regard to the time to irrigate small grain we should be governed by the condition and size of the grain rather than by the degree of moisture in the soil, because in no other way can we be sure of getting on enough water before the grain will be too far advanced.

I have great faith in water as a fertilizer, I mean just the water, not any mineral substance we sometimes hear of its bringing down from the mountains and depositing on our lands. It is the water we want. I think there is almost inexhaustable amount of mineral substance adapted to the growth of plants in our land, that is just as good as anything there is in the mountains, and I think the amount contained in the water is much over estimated.

My opinion is that the land that has had the most water on it during the last two or three years is the land where we shall be likely to have our best crop the coming season; other things being equal.

I am told by farmers on the divide south of Denver where they farm considerably without irrigation, and only a little with it, that the land farmed without irrigation in a few years materially depreciates, whereas there is no perceptible change where they can irrigate.

My best wheat crops have not been on the land where there has been the most rotation of crops or where there has been the least number of crops raised, but they invariably have been on the land where there has been the most water. Doubtless there is a great difference in different kinds of water, and I suppose the very best is the kind we get in irrigating time, that is, pure snow water. It is an important fact that the same overruling hand that gives so much sunshine and the water with which we can irrigate has also provided land that will under-drain itself generally. Water must not stand still on the ground and there must be a hot sun to heat the ground. Everyting seems planned purposely for our irrigating system."

### In Danger from a Dam.

The Leadville *Chronicle* of last Saturday prints the following concerning the alleged danger which is impending over the town of Granite. It says: "The majority of the readers of the *Chronicle* will remember the Twin Lakes dam sensation last summer and the efforts made by the people of Granite to prevent its completion. The building of the dam was very properly opposed at that time on account of the destruction of the fish which find a home in the lakes, and the forced accumulation of stagnant water that would be occasioned thereby. The destruction of the dam at that time by order of the Land Commissioners was only prevented by an injunction generously granted by Judge Bowen, in consequence of which the good people of Granite have been compelled to face the disgust and danger of the unsightly dam ever since. During the winter the waters have been backed up from the lower lake to such an extent that at this time an inland ocean hovers above the town and people of Granite, ready at any time by the giving away of the dam to deluge and sweep away everything before it. Realizing their dangerous situation, the residents of the town and vicinity gathered in mass meeting on Tuesday evening last to take steps of safety from the threatened flood. Earnest speeches and protests were made by the leading citizens, and a series of strong resolutions were passed, recommending the destruction of the dam, and asking for the interference of the state authorities in their behalf. Self protection is the first law of nature, and the owners of the dam should not expect that the people of Granite will be content to slumber quietly under the very clouds of destruction continually held over them by a poorly pent up flood, the loosing of which, by a sudden breakage of the dam, would be certain destruction. No matter what may be the degree of danger now, every hour of sunshine from this on will rapidly increase it. The melting snows lying over the country above will soon sweep in a torrent into the lake and it will be a miracle if the dam is not carried away. The people of Granite have done the proper thing in the mass-protest and petition, and should at once receive authority from the state to relieve themselves of the impending peril."

The Leadville *Democrat* says: "A deed from F. W. Thackwell to the Aurora Consolidated Mining company was filed for record yesterday which for one dollar consideration conveyed the Silver Moon, Golden Sun, Shining Star, and Milky Way lodes. A few more locations with nomencalture of this character will exhaust the whole planitarium. If they could only tack Borealis to the title the combination would be complete.

This is the way the Trinidad *News* looks at it: "The beauties of being a candidate for office cannot be fully appreciated until some great strapping fellow steps up and slaps you on the shoulder, asks you in to take a drink, and then, as complacently asks you to pay for it."

Several new hotels are being erected at Red Cliff, and travelers that way will not have to sleep more than six in a room hereafter.

### OUT-WEST

How to get in hot water go to Cottonwood Springs.

A Leadville restaurant advertises "opossum dinners."

The keno rooms in Silver Cliff give their customers free suppers.

There are from one to four divorce cases filed in the Lake county court daily.

Kokomo is to have another new smelter. The boom in that direction is a solid substantial one.

The Alamosa *Independent* says, that Col. Broyles sold one-eighth interest in the Source lode near Placer last week to Sheriff Price of Pueblo. This lode is valuable for its iron ore if for nothing else, and the probabilities are that richer mineral will be reached before long.

A gentleman who was all through the war, says he never saw anything to equal the supply train now at Fort Garland in completeness. There are about a thousand mules, with a corresponding number of wagons, and the hands are under perfect control. Drill in packing the wagons is kept daily, and can be accomplished in the minimum of time.

An anonymous correspondent of the Leadville *Democrat* breaks forth into the following vulgar tirade concerning Mr. Jay: "I am pleased to see the columns of the *Democrat* open to the brilliant coruscations and scintillations of our notorious shilly-shally, willy-wally, wishy-washy, wit-starved expounder of vulgarity, called by the name of county superintendent of public schools of the county of Lake."

A small but beautiful collection of genuine garnets, embeded in what is supposed to be dikerock, has been sent to W. B. Vickers for the historical society, by Mr. Walter Weston, a well-known mineralogist of Leadville. The gentleman states that the specimens were found in Chaffee county, close to the Arkansas river, and expresses himself able to furnish any amount of rock required, up to ten tons, containing garnets.

### MINING NOTES.

We are indebted to the La Plata *Miner* for the following mining notes:

New contracts are being let on the North Star, on Sultan Mountain.

Work is soon to be resumed on the Louis under a new management.

Work is being pushed on the Solomon mine, up Cement Creek, with good results.

Some seventeen men are now working on the Bonanza tunnel, which is now in about 1200 feet.

The Molus will have lots of high grade ore on the dumb by the time the snow gets off in the spring.

"When the roses come again," the King Lear will boom. This mine is the property of A. G. Ellis.

The celebrated Aspen, on Hazleton Mountain, is said to be showing good results from this winter's development.

It is quite likely work will have to be shut down on the Higland Mary mine, owing to the insufficient supply of wood.

Jack Williams has the contract for running a tunnel on the Denver lodes, near Animas Forks, and has 140 feet of the work completed.

The Little Abbie, recently stocked for ten million dollars, will be one of the booming properties the coming season. We are told that ten men are at work running a tunnel to cut the vein at a good depth.

The Red Cloud is among the best mines in the county, showing three feet of solid galena and grey copper ore which will mill 150 ounces to the ton. It has one shaft down 100 feet, another down seventy feet, and a tunnel in 170 feet.

### Improvements on the R. E. Lee.

The Leadville *Democrat* makes the following notes of the improvements on the R. E. Lee: "An addition to the old shaft house with thirty eight by fifty-one feet dimensions has just been started. It is built on the north side, and will include about a fourth of the old shaft house, which on the completion of the new building will be torn away. This will increase the number of ore bins, and very much improve the interior for convenience and comfort.

"The average daily shipment since the first of last August has been thirty tons. More than half as much of this amount besides has been mined and stacked on the dump. This reserve is held for the coming of a railroad or cheaper treatment than can now be had here."

### Hotel Arrivals.

CENTRAL HOTEL. N Bristow, Bijou Basin, Colo; Alfred Long, Cheyenne, Wyoming Territory, Wm Cainty, Manitou Park, Colo; A W Smith, Omaha, Nebraska; John Web, Joplin, Missouri; Edward Johnson, Canon City, Colo; Fred A Mangold, Alma, Colo; H C Lovelace, J H Shumate, D M Wetzel, Husted, Colo; Jonas Wright, Divide, Colo.

NATIONAL HOTEL. W Henderson, E Martin, Pueblo, Colo; Wm L Bradshaw, Alamosa, Colo; T Bradley, C Edwards, St Louis; C H Shaw, Charles City, Iowa; Lewis Meyers, St Louis, Mo; Charles P Fersen, Chicago, Ill, Orlando Phelps, Cassopolis, Mich; R W Wright and wife, Detroit, Mich; Walter Smith, Denver, Colo; S E Dodge, Divide; Peter A Carter, Denver, Colo.

COLORADO SPRINGS HOTEL.—Chas Fanning, F S Harting, Wm Durkee, New York; Major W M Ames, New Mexico; E Hiedenthal, Chicago; Robert W Green, Louisiana; Frank Coleman, Dubuque; Geo Galberth, Colorado; C H Reano, Kansas; C L Lawton, Grand Rapids, Mich; L Baldionn, Chicago; Fred J Crookle, Boston, R D Liernstom, Denver; T G Woodmancy, Cincinnati; Isaac Basoford, New York; T H Shelby, Denver Transportation Company; C C Pinkney, Chicago; J M Apple, Denver; T W Locke, Galloway, Tenn; Joshua Cruther, Pittsburgh, Pa; Captain Anderson, Pueblo; C J Johnson, Pittsburgh, Pa; Jacob Lains, Kansas City; J S Full, Denver.

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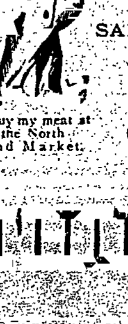

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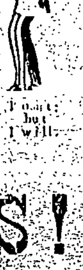

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